



CHAPTER 33 (POST 9/11) GI BILL® QUALIFYING PERIODS OF SERVICE

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Qualifying Periods of Service

Title 38, Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) GI Bill® law defines qualifying active duty service as Honorable service after 9/11 as the following:

- A. In the case of members of the regular components of the Armed Forces, the meaning given such term in section 101(21) (A).
- B. In the case of members of the reserve components of the Armed Forces, service under a call or order to active duty under section 688, 12301(a), 12301(d), 12301(g), 12301(h), 12302, 12304, 12304a, or 12304b of title 10 or section 712 of title 14.
- C. In the case of a member of the Army National Guard or Air National Guard, in addition to service described in subparagraph (B), full-time service-
 - 1. In the National Guard of a State for the purpose of organizing, administering, recruiting, instructing, or training the National Guard; or
 - Refers solely to Title 32 AGR service for one of the above purposes.
 - 2. In the National Guard under section 502(f) of title 32 when authorized by the President or Secretary of Defense for the purpose of responding to a national emergency declared by the President and supported by Federal Funds.
 - 11 September 2001 31 May 2002 under Operation Noble Eagle.
 - 15 February 2019 14 February 2021 (unless further extended or curtailed) for the Southwest Border Mission.
 - 22 March 2020 a date to be determined for orders in support of the COVID-19 pandemic.

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